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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA) TRANSMITTAL

This is a request for filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 CFR 1.53(d) of prior application No. 09/ filed on and entitled by the following named inventors:

- (a) Full Name _____
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- ☐ The entire disclosure of the prior application from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied herewith is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

☒ Applicant(s) hereby request(s) that the above-captioned application **NOT BE PUBLISHED** under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a unilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

- ☐ Applicant(s) suggest(s) Figure ___ for inclusion on the front page of the patent application publication and patent.

1. ☐ Enclosed is a copy of the prior Application No. 09/ as originally filed on including copies of the specification, claims, drawings and the executed oath or declaration as filed.
2. ☐ Enclosed is a revised prior application and a copy of the prior executed oath or declaration as filed. No new matter has been added to the revised application.
3. ☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.

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This is a request for filing a ☒ continuation, or ☐ divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d), (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior Application No. 09/190, filed on November 13, 1998, and entitled:

TITLE

PRODUCT PREPARATION SYSTEM WITH EXTRUSION HORN

The above-identified prior non-provisional application in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application.

1. ☒ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on November 7, 2000 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in the prior non-provisional application.
2. ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
3. ☐ This application is being filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)(4).
 - a. ☐ Delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior non-provisional application: